

Welcome to the PIA for FY09!

Congress passed the E-Government Act of 2002 to encourage the use of Web-based Internet applications or other information technology by Government agencies, with the intention of enhancing access to government information and services and increasing the effectiveness, efficiency, and quality of government operations.

To combat public concerns regarding the disclosure of private information, the E-Government Act mandated various measures, including the requirement that Federal agencies conduct a Privacy Impact Assessment (PIA) for projects with information technology systems that collect, maintain, and/or disseminate "personally identifiable information" of the public. Personally identifiable information, or "personal information," is information that may be used to identify a specific person.

The Privacy Act and VA policy require that personally identifiable information only be used for the purpose(s) for which it was collected, unless consent (opt-in) is granted. Individuals must be provided an opportunity to provide consent for any secondary use of information, such as use of collected information for marketing.

Directions:

VA 6508 is the directive which outlines the PIA requirement for every System/Application/Program. More information can be found by reading VA 6508.

If you find that you can't click on checkboxes, make sure that you are: 1) Not in "design mode" and 2) you have enabled macros.

PIA Website: http://vawww.privacy.va.gov/Privacy_Impact_Assessments.asp

Roles and Responsibilities:

Roles and responsibilities for the specific process are clearly defined for all levels of staff in the Privacy Impact Assessment Handbook 6202.2 referenced in the procedure section of this document.

- a. The Privacy Officer is responsible for the overall coordination and review of the PIA to ensure compliance with VA Handbook 6202.2.
- b. Records Officer is responsible for supplying records retention and deletion schedules.
- c. Information Technology (IT) staff responsible for the privacy of the system data will perform a PIA in accordance with VA Handbook 6202.2 and to immediately report all anomalies to the Privacy Service and appropriate management chain.
- d. Information Security Officer (ISO) is responsible for assisting the Privacy Officer and providing information regarding security controls.
- e. The CIO is responsible for ensuring that the systems under his or her jurisdiction undergo a PIA. This responsibility includes identifying the IT systems; coordinating with the Privacy Officer, Information Security Officer, and others who have concerns about privacy and security issues; and reviewing and approving the PIA before submission to the Privacy Service.

Definition of PII (Personally Identifiable Information)

Information in identifiable form that is collected and stored in the system that either directly identifies an individual by name, address, social security number, telephone number, e-mail address, biometric identifiers, photograph, or other unique numbers, codes or characteristics or combined indirect identifiers such as a combination of gender, race, birth date, geographical indicators, license number is also

combined, indirect identity, an individual seen as a combination of gender, race, birth date, geographical indicators, license number is also considered PII.

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(FY 09) PIA: System Identification			
Program or System Name:	Region 2, VHA, VISN 17, North Texas HCS Private Branch Exchange (PBX)		
OMB Unique System / Application / Program Identifier (AKA: UPID #):	029-00-02-00-01-1120-00		
Description of System / Application / Program:	<p>The VA North Texas HCS Private PBX System is a General Support System, supporting mission-critical and other systems necessary to conduct day-to-day operations within the Department of Veterans Affairs. The VA North Texas HCS PBX system incorporates over 6,000 telephone units providing local, long distance, and toll bypass services to all other PBX systems in VISN 17. The VA North Texas HCS PBX system also provides telephone answering system with capability of leaving voice mail messages.</p>		
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Person Completing Document:			
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Other Titles:			
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Date of Last PIA Approved by VACO Privacy Services: (MM/YYYY)	07/2008		
Date Approval To Operate Expires:	08/2011		
What specific legal authorities authorize this program or system:	IT Infrastructure		
What is the expected number of individuals that will have their PII stored in this system:	0		
Identify what stage the System / Application / Program is at:	Operations/Maintenance		
The approximate date (MM/YYYY) the system will be operational (if in the Design or Development stage), or the approximate number of years the system/application/program has been in operation.	7 years		
Is there an authorized change control process which documents any changes to existing applications or systems?	Yes		
If No, please explain:			
Date of Report (MM/YYYY):	03/2010		
If answers 'Yes' to one or more of the following, please check the appropriate box, continue to the next tab, and complete the remaining questions on this form. If none have been checked then skip to Signatures tab, obtain the appropriate signatures, and submit this document.			
<input type="checkbox"/> Has a PIA NOT been completed within the last three years?			
<input type="checkbox"/> Have any changes been made to the system since the last PIA?			
<input type="checkbox"/> Is this a PIV system/application/program collecting PII data from Federal employees, contractors, or others performing work for the VA?			
<input type="checkbox"/> Will this system/application/program retrieve information on the basis of name, unique identifier, symbol, or other PII data?			

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<input type="checkbox"/> Will this system/application/program retrieve information on the basis of name, unique identifier, symbol, or other PII data?	
<input type="checkbox"/> Does this system/application/program collect, store or disseminate PII/PHI data?	
<input type="checkbox"/> Does this system/application/program collect, store or disseminate the SSN?	

(FY 09) PIA: System of Records		
Is the data maintained under one or more approved System(s) of Records?	No	
if the answer above is no, please skip to row 16.		
For each applicable System(s) of Records, list:		
1. All System of Record Identifier(s) (number):		
2. Name of the System of Records:		
3. Location where the specific applicable System of Records Notice may be accessed (include the URL):		
Have you read, and will the application, system, or program comply with, all data management practices in the System of Records Notice(s)?		
Does the System of Records Notice require modification or updating?		
	(Please Select Yes/No)	
Is PII collected by paper methods?		
Is PII collected by verbal methods?		
Is PII collected by automated methods?		
Is a Privacy notice provided?		
Proximity and Timing: Is the privacy notice provided at the time of data collection?		
Purpose: Does the privacy notice describe the principal purpose(s) for which the information will be used?		
Authority: Does the privacy notice specify the effects of providing information on a voluntary basis?		
Disclosures: Does the privacy notice specify routine use(s) that may be made of the information?		

(FY 09) PIA: Notice			
Please fill in each column for the data types selected.			
Data Type	Collection Method	What will the subjects be told about the information collection?	How is this message conveyed to them?
Veteran or Primary Subject's Personal Contact Information (name, address, telephone, etc)	Verbal		Verbally
Family Relation (spouse, children, parents, grandparents, etc)	VA File Database		Written
Service Information	Electronic/File Transfer		Verbally
Medical Information			
Criminal Record Information			
Guardian Information			
Education Information			
Benefit Information			
Other (Explain)			
Data Type	Is Data Type Stored on your system?	Source (If requested, identify the specific file, entity and/or name of agency)	Is data collection Mandatory or Voluntary?
Veteran or Primary Subject's Personal Contact Information (name, address, telephone, etc)			
Family Relation (spouse, children, parents, grandparents, etc)			
Service Information			
Medical Information			

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Criminal Record Information			
Guardian Information			
Education Information			
Benefit Information			
Other (Explain)			
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How is a privacy notice provided?
Verbally
Written
Written
Additional Comments

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(FY 09) PIA: Data Sharing					
Organization	Name of Agency/Organization	Do they access this system?	Identify the type of Data Sharing and its purpose.	Is PII or PHI Shared?	What is the procedure you reference for the release of information?
Internal Sharing: VA Organization					
Other Veteran Organization					
Other Federal Government Agency					
State Government Agency					
Local Government Agency					
Research Entity					
Other Project / System					
Other Project / System					
Other Project / System					
(FY09) PIA: Access to Records					
Does the system gather information from another system?					
Please enter the name of the system:					
Does the system gather information from an individual?					
If information is gathered from an individual, is the information provided:	<input type="checkbox"/> Through a Written Request <input type="checkbox"/> Submitted in Person <input type="checkbox"/> Online via Electronic Form				
Is there a contingency plan in place to process information when the system is down?					
(FY09) PIA: Secondary Use					
Will PII data be included with any secondary use request?					

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if yes, please check all that apply:	<input type="checkbox"/> Drug/Alcohol Counseling <input type="checkbox"/> Mental Health <input type="checkbox"/> HIV				
	<input type="checkbox"/> Research <input type="checkbox"/> Sickle Cell <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Please Explain)				
Describe process for authorizing access to this data.					
Answer:					

(FY 09) PIA: Program Level Questions		
Does this PIA contain any sensitive information that could cause harm to the Department of Veterans Affairs or any party if disclosed to the public?	No	
If Yes, Please Specify:		
Explain how collected data are limited to required elements:		
Answer:		
How is data checked for completeness?		
Answer:		
What steps or procedures are taken to ensure the data remains current and not out of date?		
Answer:		
How is new data verified for relevance, authenticity and accuracy?		
Answer:		
Additional Information: (Provide any necessary clarifying information or additional explanation for this section.)		
Answer:		
(FY 09) PIA: Retention & Disposal		
What is the data retention period?		
Answer:		
Explain why the information is needed for the indicated retention period?		
Answer:		
What are the procedures for eliminating data at the end of the retention period?		
Answer:		
Where are these procedures documented?		
Answer:		
How are data retention procedures enforced?		
Answer:		
Has the retention schedule been approved by the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA)		
Additional Information: (Provide any necessary clarifying information or additional explanation for this section.)		
Answer:		

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(FY 09) PIA: Children's Online Privacy Protection Act (COPPA)		
Will information be collected through the internet from children under age 13?	No	
If Yes, How will parental or guardian approval be obtained?		
Answer:		

FY 09: Additional Comments

Add any additional comments on this tab for any question in the form you want to comment on. Please

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(FY 2010) PIA: VBA Minor Applications

Explain what minor application that are associated with your installation? (Check all that apply)

Records Locator System Veterans Assistance Discharge System (VADS)	Education Training Website VR&E Training Website VA Reserve Educational Assistance Program Web Automated Verification of Enrollment Right Now Web VA Online Certification of Enrollment (VA-ONCE Automated Folder Processing System (AFPS) Personal Computer Generated Letters (PCGL) Personnel Information Exchange System (PIES) Rating Board Automation 2000 (RBA2000)	Appraisal System Web Electronic Lender Identification CONDO PUD Builder Centralized Property Tracking System Electronic Appraisal System Web LGY Access Manager SAHSHA VBA Data Warehouse Distribution of Operational Resources (DOOR)
LGY Processing Loan Service and Claims LGY Home Loans		
Search Participant Profile (SPP)		
Control of Veterans Records (COVERS)		
SHARE Modern Awards Process Development (MAP-D) Rating Board Automation 2000 (RBA2000)		
State of Case/Supplemental (SOC/SSOC)	SHARE	Enterprise Wireless Messaging System (Blackberry) VBA Enterprise Messaging System
Awards	State Benefits Reference System Training and Performance Support System (TPSS) Veterans Appeals Control and Locator System (VACOLS) Veterans On-Line Applications (VONAPP)	LGY Centralized Fax System Review of Quality (ROQ) Automated Sales Reporting (ASR)
Financial and Accounting System (FAS)		
Eligibility Verification Report (EVR) Automated Medical Information System (AMIS)290	Automated Medical Information Exchange II (AIME II)	Electronic Card System (ECS)
Web Automated Reference Material System (WARMS)	Committee on Waivers and Compromises (COWC)	Electronic Payroll Deduction (EPD)
Automated Standardized Performance Elements Nationwide (ASPEN)	Common Security User Manager (CSUM)	Financial Management Information System (FMI)
Inquiry Routing Information System (IRIS)	Compensation and Pension (C&P) Record Interchange (CAPRI) Control of Veterans Records (COVERS) Corporate Waco, Indianapolis, Newark, Roanoke, Seattle (Corporate WINRS) Fiduciary Beneficiary System (FBS) Hearing Officer Letters and Reports System (HOLAR)	Purchase Order Management System (POMS) Veterans Canteen Web Inventory Management System (IMS)
National Silent Monitoring (NSM) Web Service Medical Records (WebSMR)		
Systematic Technical Accuracy Review (STAR)	Inforce	Synquest RAI/MDS ASSISTS
Fiduciary STAR Case Review Veterans Exam Request Info System (VERIS) Web Automated Folder Processing System (WAFPS)		
Courseware Delivery System (CDS) Electronic Performance Support System (EPS) Veterans Service Representative (VSR) Advisor	Awards Actuarial Insurance Self Service	MUSE Bbraun (CP Hemo) VIC
Loan Guaranty Training Website	Insurance Unclaimed Liabilities	BCMA Contingency Machines
C&P Training Website	Insurance Online	Script Pro

Explain any minor application that are associated with your installation that does not appear in the list above. Please provide name, brief description, and any comments you may wish to include.

Name	Description	Comments
<input type="checkbox"/> Is PII collected by this min or application?		
Minor app #1	<input type="checkbox"/> Does this minor application store PII?	
	<input type="checkbox"/> If yes, where?	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Who has access to this data?	

Name	Description	Comments
<input type="checkbox"/> Is PII collected by this min or application?		
Minor app #2	<input type="checkbox"/> Does this minor application store PII?	
	<input type="checkbox"/> If yes, where?	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Who has access to this data?	

Name	Description	Comments
<input type="checkbox"/> Is PII collected by this min or application?		
Minor app #3	<input type="checkbox"/> Does this minor application store PII?	
	<input type="checkbox"/> If yes, where?	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Who has access to this data?	

Baker System	Veterans Assistance Discharge System (VADS)
Dental Records Manager	VBA Training Academy
Sidexis	Veterans Service Network (VETSNET)
Priv Plus	Waco Indianapolis, Newark, Roanoke, Seattle (WINRS)
Mental Health Assistant	BIRLS
Telecare Record Manager	Centralized Accounts Receivable System (CARS)
Omnicell	Compensation & Pension (C&P)
Powerscribe Dictation System	Corporate Database
EndoSoft	Control of Veterans Records (COVERS)
Compensation and Pension (C&P)	Data Warehouse
Montgomery GI Bill	INS - BIRLS
Vocational Rehabilitation & Employment (VR&E) CH 31	Mobilization
Post Vietnam Era educational Program (VEAP) CH 32	Master Veterans Record (MVR)
Spinal Bifida Program Ch 18	BDN Payment History
C&P Payment System	
Survivors and Dependents Education Assistance CH 35	
Reinstatement Entitlement Program for Survivors (REAPS)	
Educational Assistance for Members of the Selected Reserve Program CH 1606	
Reserve Educational Assistance Program CH 1607	
Compensation & Pension Training Website	
Web-Enabled Approval Management System (WEAMS)	
FOCAS	
Work Study Management System (WSMS)	
Benefits Delivery Network (BDN)	
Personnel and Accounting Integrated Data and Fee Basis (PAID)	
Personnel Information Exchange System (PIES)	
Rating Board Automation 2000 (RBA2000)	
SHARE	
Service Member Records Tracking System	

(FY 2010) PIA: VISTA Minor Applications

Explain what minor application that are associated with your installation? (Check all that apply)

ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE	DRUG ACCOUNTABILITY	INPATIENT MEDICATIONS
ADP PLANNING (PLANMAN)	DSS EXTRACTS	INTAKE/OUTPUT
ADVERSE REACTION TRACKING	EDUCATION TRACKING	INTEGRATED BILLING
ASISTS	EEO COMPLAINT TRACKING	INTEGRATED PATIENT FUNDS
AUTHORIZATION/SUBSCRIPTION	ELECTRONIC SIGNATURE	INTERIM MANAGEMENT
AUTO REPLENISHMENT/WARD STOCK	ENGINEERING	SUPPORT
AUTOMATED INFO COLLECTION SYS	ENROLLMENT APPLICATION	KERNEL
AUTOMATED LAB INSTRUMENTS	SYSTEM	KIDS
AUTOMATED MED INFO EXCHANGE	EQUIPMENT/TURN-IN	LAB SERVICE
BAR CODE MED ADMIN	REQUEST	LETTERMAN
BED CONTROL	EVENT CAPTURE	LEXICON UTILITY
BENEFICIARY TRAVEL	EVENT DRIVEN REPORTING	LIBRARY
CAPACITY MANAGEMENT - RUM	EXTENSIBLE EDITOR	LIST MANAGER
CAPRI	EXTERNAL PEER REVIEW	MAILMAN
CAPACITY MANAGEMENT TOOLS	FEE BASIS	MASTER PATIENT INDEX
CARE MANAGEMENT	FUNCTIONAL	VISTA
CLINICAL CASE REGISTRIES	INDEPENDENCE	MCCR NATIONAL
CLINICAL INFO RESOURCE NETWORK	GEN. MED. REC. - GENERATOR	DATABASE
CLINICAL MONITORING SYSTEM	GEN. MED. REC. - I/O	MEDICINE
CLINICAL PROCEDURES	GEN. MED. REC. - VITALS	MENTAL HEALTH
CLINICAL REMINDERS	GENERIC CODE SHEET	MICOM
CMOP	GRECC	MINIMAL PATIENT
CONSULT/REQUEST TRACKING	HEALTH DATA &	DATASET
CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES	INFORMATICS	MYHEALTHEVET
CPT/HCPCS CODES	HEALTH LEVEL SEVEN	Missing Patient Reg (Original)
CREDENTIALS TRACKING	HEALTH SUMMARY	A4EL
DENTAL	HINQ	NATIONAL DRUG FILE
DIETETICS	HOSPITAL BASED HOME	NATIONAL LABORATORY
DISCHARGE SUMMARY	CARE	TEST
DRG GROUPER	ICR - IMMUNOLOGY CASE	NDBI
	REGISTRY	NETWORK HEALTH
	IFCAP	EXCHANGE
	IMAGING	NOIS
	INCIDENT REPORTING	NURSING SERVICE
	INCOME VERIFICATION MATCH	OCCURRENCE SCREEN
	INCOMPLETE RECORDS	ONCOLOGY
	TRACKING	ORDER ENTRY/RESULTS
		REPORTING

Explain any minor application that are associated with your installation that does not appear in the list above. Please provide name, brief description, and any comments you may wish to include.

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Minor app #1		Does this minor application store PII?	
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		Is PII collected by this min or application?	
Minor app #2		Does this minor application store PII?	
		If yes, where?	
		Who has access to this data?	

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		Is PII collected by this min or application?	
Minor app #3		Does this minor application store PII?	
		If yes, where?	
		Who has access to this data?	

OUTPATIENT PHARMACY	SOCIAL WORK
PAID	SPINAL CORD DYSFUNCTION
PATCH MODULE	SURGERY
PATIENT DATA EXCHANGE	SURVEY GENERATOR
PATIENT FEEDBACK	TEXT INTEGRATION UTILITIES
PATIENT REPRESENTATIVE	TOOLKIT
PCE PATIENT CARE ENCOUNTER	UNWINDER
PCE PATIENT/IHS SUBSET	UTILIZATION MANAGEMENT ROLLUP
PHARMACY BENEFITS MANAGEMENT	UTILIZATION REVIEW
PHARMACY DATA MANAGEMENT	VA CERTIFIED COMPONENTS - DSSI
PHARMACY NATIONAL DATABASE	VA FILEMAN
PHARMACY PRESCRIPTION PRACTICE	VBECs
POLICE & SECURITY	VDEF
PROBLEM LIST	VENDOR - DOCUMENT STORAGE SYS
PROGRESS NOTES	VHS&RA ADP TRACKING SYSTEM
PROSTHETICS	VISIT TRACKING
QUALITY ASSURANCE INTEGRATION	VISTALINK
QUALITY IMPROVEMENT CHECKLIST	VISTALINK SECURITY
QUASAR	VISUAL IMPAIRMENT SERVICE TEAM
RADIOLOGY/NUCLEAR MEDICINE	ANRV
RECORD TRACKING	VOLUNTARY TIMEKEEPING
REGISTRATION	VOLUNTARY TIMEKEEPING NATIONAL
RELEASE OF INFORMATION - DSSI	WOMEN'S HEALTH
REMOTE ORDER/ENTRY SYSTEM	CARE TRACKER
RPC BROKER	
RUN TIME LIBRARY	
SAGG	
SCHEDULING	
SECURITY SUITE UTILITY PACK	
SHIFT CHANGE HANDOFF TOOL	

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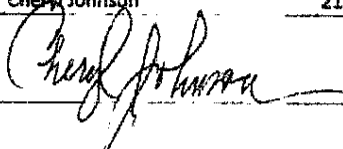
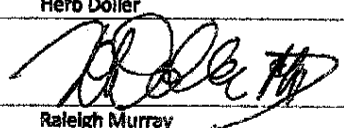
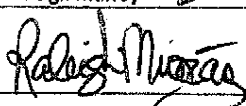
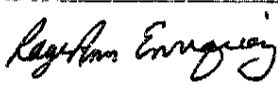
Add any information concerning minor applications that may be associated with your system. Please indicate the name of the minor application, a brief description, and any comments you may wish to include. If you have more than 3 minor applications please copy then below sections as many times as needed.

Name	Description	Comments
<input type="checkbox"/> Is PII collected by this min or application?		
Minor app #1	<input type="checkbox"/> Does this minor application store PII?	
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(FY 09) PIA: Final Signatures

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